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Big Polo Match Now Hanging by a Thread

Lord Wimborne Gives Up Hope of Sending Team to This Country.

MAJOR HUNTER UNABLE TO MAKE THE TRIP

Hurlingham Club Must Withdraw Challenge or Get a Four Up at a Moment's Notice.

[By Cable to The Tribune.] London, May 12.—No international polo match will be played this year, according to indications this evening. Lord Wimborne's team had its final breakdown to-day, and he said to-night that he would be obliged to tell the Hurlingham Club committee to-morrow that he was unable to get a team together.

It will then rest with the Hurlingham Club to get out of the engagement with America, as it was the official challenger.

Lord Wimborne was busy to-day making arrangements to ship the ponies on Saturday, when a telegram was received from Major C. M. Hunter saying that he would be unable to go on account of the illness of his wife. This left Lord Wimborne only three men for the team, consequently he stopped all arrangements to ship the ponies and began the search for a fourth man.

He said it was no use going through all the detail of arranging to ship the ponies if he was unable to send a team.

On account of the red tape connected with the shipment and the time required to get papers signed he had only five hours to get a player to take Major Hunter's place. The limit expired at 7:30 o'clock this evening and none was found. Lord Wimborne had over fifty telegrams refusing the invitation for various reasons.

The principal effort was devoted to getting Captain Cheape, but up to a late hour to-night he had not deigned to answer either Lord Wimborne's or the Hurlingham Club's invitations.

Hurlingham's invitation was sent on Saturday, and The Daily Telegraph published this morning in an article by "Polonius" an alleged telegram from Cheape to Lord Wimborne, politely declining the invitation. Lord Wimborne to-night authorizes a positive denial that he received any reply of any kind from Captain Cheape. He has traced Cheape's movements from Saturday, and to-day sent his friends and Cheape's friends to beg him to play. Lord Wimborne's friends say he humiliated himself and almost went on his knees to induce Cheape to play so that the challenge could be carried out.

Cheape's friends say nothing will induce him to play on Lord Wimborne's team, while Lord Wimborne's friends say that Cheape has no personal objection to Wimborne, but pressure he was unable to withstand brought from other quarters has kept him off the team.

A special meeting of the Hurlingham Club committee and Lord Wimborne has been called for 3 o'clock to-morrow, and the general expectation here to-night is that it will close the incident and that the challenge will be withdrawn.

The telegram in full from Major Hunter follows: "Exceedingly sorry that the condition of my wife is such that I find myself compelled to abandon the idea of going to America. This answer must be considered final."

Major Hunter was to play back on the team, and as backs up to the international standard are rare the difficulties confronting Lord Wimborne were practically insurmountable.

The ponies were to be shipped at 4 o'clock on Friday.

DRISCOLL BESTS KLINE

Brooklyn Boxer Proves Too Clever for the Newark Lad.

"Young" Driscoll, of Brooklyn, had the better of Patsy Kline in ten rounds of boxing at the Broadway Sporting Club, of Brooklyn, last night. Driscoll was too clever for the Newark lad, and, working a snappy left hand jab, piled up the points. His straight punches crossed inside the swings his opponent kept trying. He beat him to the punch. When it came to infighting, Kline was by all means the better, but he had few opportunities to indulge in his favorite style.

Billy Lewis, a welterweight of Newark, was disqualified for fouling in the seventh round of his match with "Young" Kurtz, of Newark, at Brown's Gymnasium last night.

TUFTS NINE WINS EASILY

Bunches Hits and Dartmouth Is Sent Down to Defeat.

Medford, Mass., May 12.—Tufts easily defeated Dartmouth at baseball here to-day by a score of 8 to 2. The game was called in the seventh inning because of rain.

The score by innings follows: R. H. E. Tufts.....6 11 2 4 1 X 3 6 2
Dartmouth.....0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 3
Batteries—Krepps and Bennett; Parrott, Lavin and Wamsucker.

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Costs Money to Exchange Blows

St. Louis, May 12.—W. J. Sweeney, of the Chicago Cubs, and Lee Magee, of the St. Louis Cardinals, who had a fight during the game yesterday, were fined \$50 each by President Tener of the National League. Notice of the fines was received here to-day.

TEN EYCK PICKS CREW

Syracuse to Send Six of Victorious Eight to Philadelphia.

Syracuse, May 12.—James A. Ten Eyck, coach of the Syracuse University crew, announced to-night the make-up of the crew which will represent the Orange in the race at the American Henley regatta in Philadelphia on Saturday.

Six of the eight men who rowed Syracuse to victory at Poughkeepsie last June will be seated.

The crew will be boated as follows: Stroke, Glass; No. 7, Hildinger; No. 6, Captain Rich; No. 5, Probst; No. 4, Robbins; No. 3, Kuehn; No. 2, Landers; bow, Mahan; coxswain, Goes.

Glass and Landers, both of whom rowed in the freshman eight at Poughkeepsie, are the only new men.

YALE ROWS FAST MILE

'Varsity Eight Shows a Steady Improvement in Work.

New Haven, May 12.—The steady development of the Yale crew was indicated to-day when the first 'varsity eight defeated the second crew in a mile race on the harbor in the fast time of 4 minutes 45 seconds.

The second boat crossed the line three seconds later. The wind favored the oarsmen, but the sea was choppy.

The coaches to-day devoted considerable attention to the second eight, which is entered in the American Henley regatta at Philadelphia on Saturday. The oarsmen will leave New Haven on Thursday night and will practice on the Schuylkill on Friday.

AIMS FOR CLEAN SWEEP

Columbia Track Team Counts on Colgate's Scalp Next.

Columbia's 'varsity track team is looking forward to a clean sweep of the season's dual meets when it faces Colgate on South Field on Saturday. The Blue and White athletes defeated Annapolis a week ago and kept up their good work by defeating Syracuse in the Stadium last week.

The triumph over the Middles was the first that Columbia has won in a dual meet with Annapolis in six years. The victory over Syracuse was the first that the Columbians have ever scored over the Salt City athletes. Columbia's success is due largely to the record performances of Russell Beatty and C. E. Olmstead.

Umpire Fitch Rules Strong Out

Nathaniel Strong and three members of the Bushwick baseball team, which plays Sunday baseball at Ridgewood Park, Queens, were discharged yesterday by Magistrate Fitch in the Flushing court.

Strong, the manager, explained that the purchase of scorecards was not obligatory on any spectator at the games and that the money received from their sale just about paid the rental of the grounds.

Dwyer on Student Board.

Walter William Dwyer, 150, of New York City, was elected chairman of the student board of representatives at Columbia University yesterday afternoon by a unanimous vote. L. C. Danielson, 150, son of the bursar of the university, was elected secretary and treasurer.

New England League Results.

Lewiston, 4; Portland, 0.
Lynn vs. Lowell, (rain).
Worcester vs. Fitchburg, (rain).
Haverhill vs. Lawrence, (rain).

Tyros Hold Sway on Courts

Davis Cup Players Once Trod

On courts that once were trod by some of the world's greatest lawn tennis players, and amid surroundings that, in 1913, supplied the stage setting for the challenge round in the Davis cup matches between America and Australia, the novice and the "dub" now hold sway.

When the West Side Tennis Club moved from its grounds at 238th st. and Broadway to its new home at Forest Hills, Long Island, last autumn, it left the clubhouse standing and a majority of the dirt courts intact. The turf from the famous Davis cup match court was carted away bodily to the new home.

A man who knew of the widespread interest in lawn tennis in this city and of the eagerness of the public to indulge in the game acquired a lease of the abandoned property last winter and set about to rehabilitate the courts. Now, with ten excellent dirt courts in commission and the clubhouse refitted, the place is in daily operation.

Thus, where once Maurice McLoughlin,

MORE GOLF HONORS FOR MRS. KETCHAM

Fox Hills Player Captures Net Prize in One-Day Tournament.

MRS. H. R. STOCKTON WINS THE GROSS CUP

Approaching and Putting Contest Goes to Mrs. J. S. Irving, Who Scores Eight Points.

For the second time in succession, Mrs. Lester Ketcham, of Fox Hills, won the net prize in a one-day tournament of the Women's Metropolitan Golf Association, when her card of 114-25-39 showed the way to a field of thirty-two at the Montclair Golf Club yesterday. Mrs. Ketcham also was the leader at the opening tournament at Englewood last week.

Mrs. H. R. Stockton, of Plainfield, who created such a favorable impression in the women's national championship at Wilmington last fall by giving such a hard fight to Miss Harriet S. Curtis, after disposing of several sturdy opponents, was the only one with a gross score of less than 100. She had 94, and was sufficient for the gross cup. Her handicap of 8 brought her in second position.

After the handicap was completed the attention of the competitors was turned to the approaching and putting contest on the new punchbowl green, Mrs. J. S. Irving, of Scarsdale, being successful, with eight points.

This green was built last fall under the supervision of the late Tom Anderson, and it was originally intended for use on the fourth hole. After the work was completed, however, some of the members objected to the cutting up of the long hole, so that the green is now used for special competitions, such as approaching and putting contests. It is one of the most interesting greens on the course.

Mrs. W. J. Faith, of Wyckoff, had to be content with 103, and it was due mainly to a bad start. She was out in 57, thanks to four 6's, three 7's and a 9. After the tenth hole she reeled off a string of three 4's, and although her total of 44 for the inward nine holes, it did not overcome her slump in the early part of the round.

Mrs. William Chivers, of Dunwoodie, brought off a spectacular two at the 120-yard sixteenth hole. She ran down a putt of about ten feet to do it. Scores were generally high, in view of the fact that the course was heavy and the greens keener than those to which some of the competitors have been accustomed. Some of the women showed the effects of the winter's rest. One of them remarked: "How could I be expected to play golf when I have not been near a course since last fall?" Doubtless that had something to do with it.

The next tournament of this kind will be held to-morrow over the links of the Knollwood Country Club, near White Plains. The scores made in yesterday's competition were as follows:

Name and club.	Grs. Hcp. Net.
Mrs. Lester Ketcham, Fox Hills.....	114 25 39
Mrs. H. R. Stockton, Plainfield.....	94 3 32
Mrs. J. S. Irving, Scarsdale.....	103 8 37
Mrs. C. P. Uebelacker, Hackensack.....	104 7 37
Mrs. C. W. Kestler, Montclair.....	105 4 38
Mrs. G. P. Wood, Englewood.....	112 14 38
Mrs. Grace Parrelly, Englewood.....	108 19 39
Mrs. William Chivers, Dunwoodie.....	103 4 39
Mrs. W. J. Faith, Wyckoff.....	103 10 40
Mrs. L. J. O'Connell, Hackensack.....	122 15 40
Mrs. J. E. Lyons, Scarsdale.....	109 7 42
Mrs. T. H. Thomas, Hackensack.....	112 11 42
Mrs. Walter Perry, Baltusport.....	109 7 42
Mrs. E. E. Smith, Montclair.....	109 7 42
Mrs. F. E. Ryan, Cranford.....	112 7 42
Mrs. C. A. Brown, Montclair.....	117 10 44
Mrs. L. F. F. Wagner, Essex Court.....	112 7 44
Mrs. J. A. Bredt, Essex Court.....	120 12 48
Mrs. W. I. Seaman, Richmond Co.....	119 11 51
Mrs. W. H. Loftus, Montclair.....	119 20 59

Entries for the metropolitan amateur championship tournament, which begins a week from to-day over the links of the Englewood Country Club, will close Saturday at noon with Frederick H. Thomas, secretary of the Metropolitan Golf Association, at No. 71 Broadway. The condition, at No. 71 Broadway. The condition, at No. 71 Broadway. The condition, at No. 71 Broadway.

GOUX BEGINS TO TUNE UP

Frenchman Tries Out His Car on Indianapolis Speedway.

Indianapolis, May 12.—Jules Goux, the French automobile race driver, who last year won the 500-mile race here, arrived in Indianapolis last night and to-day began practicing on the speedway in preparation for the struggle on May 30. Goux was accompanied by his team mate, Bollet.

BOWLING TITLE AT STAKE

Tourney for the Metropolitan Championship Begins To-night.

The metropolitan bowling championship tourney will begin to-night on the Grand Central alleys in Brooklyn, with an entry of more than one hundred teams, and will continue over a period of two weeks and a half.

Eight teams will roll the opening night, six of which will come from the Metropolitan Bowling Club, of New York, embracing many bowlers of the New York Athletic Club.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION RESULTS.

St. Paul, 10; Columbus, 4.
Minneapolis, 10; Cleveland, 5.
Louisville, 6; Kansas City, 2.
Indianapolis vs. Milwaukee (wt gds).

Virginia League Results.

Newport News, 7; Portsmouth, 1.

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ENGINEERS ON THE LINKS

C. G. M. Thomas and W. W. Nichols Win First Foursomes.

More than sixty members of the golf club of the Engineers' Club of New York competed yesterday in the competitions of that organization over the links of the Oakland Golf Club, at Bayside. In the morning attention was devoted to foursomes, combined scores counting, and in the afternoon to an eighteen-hole medal play handicap in three classes.

C. G. M. Thomas and W. W. Nichols won the first foursome prize, with 216-48-15, while the second award went to C. I. Enril and H. T. Shriver, with 209-40-159.

Frederick C. Newton, of Richmond County, led Class A in the handicap, with 81-37-75, but he could not take both gross and net, so he chose the gross prize and left the first net for Edna Johnson, of Montclair, with 93-7-85. Second was won by Captain E. M. Sawtelle, for his 100-10-39.

A similar situation was brought about in the second division, except that C. R. Elliott was the one involved, with his 92-37-75, but, like Newton, he preferred the gross, and it left the net for W. A. Goodspeed, with 102-20-82. J. G. Wright was second, with 100-16-84.

Gross honors in the third division were won by W. O. Wood, for his 105, C. G. M. Thomas getting the net, with 108-30-78, and D. A. Fox, second net, with 107-18-89.

RESOLUTE PLACED IN COMMISSION

To Begin To-day Her Tuning Up Trials for Defence of the America's Cup.

Bristol, R. I., May 12.—The cup defender candidate Resolute was placed formally in commission to-day with the acceptance of the completed yacht by the owning syndicate from the hands of the builders. Robert W. Emmons, 24, of Boston, acted as the syndicate representative at the ceremony.

With the New York Yacht Club pennant flying at her main truck, the yacht will begin to-morrow her series of tuning up trials in preparation for the races with the other candidates for the defence of the America's Cup. For a week or more her headquarters will be at Newport, and later she will go to New York.

Double-Header at Polo Will Be Played To-day

International Team Puts Off Practice Until To-morrow Because of Wet Turf.

Wet turf forced a postponement yesterday of the game scheduled in the Great Neck polo tournament until this afternoon, when there will be a double-header. The Point Judith Sandpipers and Meadow Brook Maples will meet in the first clash and the Great Neck Grasshoppers and Great Neck first "B" teams in the second.

Soft going also has caused a postponement of the next practice of the international team candidates until to-morrow. The game will be on the Meadow Brook No. 2 field, but should it dry out quickly there may be some desultory play there or at Phipps Field to-day for the purpose of trying out the various ponies that have been offered to H. P. Whitney and the committee on trial for the cup match.

YORKSHIRE OPENS WITH A VICTORY

Overwhelms Northampton in First Cricket Match—Surrey Also Victor.

[By Cable to The Tribune.] London, May 12.—Yorkshire began its cricket season in great style to-day, beating Northampton by an innings and 156 runs at Northampton. Batting first, they knocked up the big score of 278, to which Northampton could only reply with 117, and following on 261 in arrears, were dismissed for the second innings for only 105.

Surrey entertained Somersetshire at Kensington Oval and gave a fine display. Having first knock on a perfect wicket they put together the fine score of 397. Hayes topped the century with a well played 129. Somerset responded with 270, giving Surrey the useful lead of 127 on the first innings. At their second attempt Surrey again did well, putting on 246 for four wickets, and declaring their innings closed set the Westerners 373 to win, but they fell badly before some good bowling and were all out for 132, leaving Surrey winners by 241 runs.

Leicester and Lancaster fought out an exciting game on the county ground, Leicester ending in a close victory for the home club by 34 runs as follows: Leicester, 181 and 170; Lancashire, 153 and 149.

Worcestershire came a bad cropper with Derbyshire and lost by an innings on 158 runs, the score being: Derbyshire, 335 for 9 wickets declared; Worcestershire, 85 and 91.

Kent opened with a game against M. C. C. at Lord's, and won in handsome style by an innings and 19 runs, the totals being: Kent, 276; M. C. C., 136 and 121.

PHI KAPPA PSI'S ARE WINNERS

Phi Kappa Psi defeated Phi Kappa Sigma in the Columbia interfraternity baseball series yesterday and earned its way to the final round. The championship game will be played to-morrow when Phi Kappa Psi and Phi Kappa Sigma meet.

The score by innings follows: R. H. E. Phi Kappa Psi.....3 0 0 0 4 7 8
Phi Kappa Sigma.....0 1 2 0 1 4 8
Batteries—Sawyer and Jones; Roberts, Dornes and Kriefeld.

State League Results.

All games postponed on account of wet grounds and rain.

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Hilton to Cover Golf Tourney for The Tribune

The Champion of Great Britain Has Highest Respect for Outmet and Travers.

Harold H. Hilton, who ranks with the greatest and best in golf, will, as previously announced, tell the story of the amateur championship tournament of Great Britain exclusively for The Tribune.

He will cable a special account each day while the tournament is in progress, and in addition will write a general forecast about the fun begins on May 15. Hilton is the amateur champion of Great Britain, a title which he has held four times. He also won the open title twice and the highest honors in this country in 1911. He is widely known in golfing circles of both countries.

For that reason his impressions of what promises to be the greatest tournament in the history of golf will be read with the greatest interest.

Hilton is considered the chief dependence of Great Britain to repel the invasion of the links led by the United States. Already it is conceded that he will have to be in his best form, for even without taking into consideration the scores of native scratch and plus men, the "big three" from this country are practically certain to prove formidable.

Jerome D. Travers, of Boston, amateur and open champion, respectively, will be nothing of Charles W. Evans, Jr., of Chicago, are counted on to make a good stand in the interest of the United States.

In speaking of Travers and Outmet recently, Hilton said:

"That the strange and new conditions have not in any way affected the game of Jerome Travers is most plainly evident, not only by his success at Westward Ho, but, moreover, by his general avowed form in other matches. Since his sojourn over here he has proceeded a long way toward conquering his weakness with his wooden clubs, and when he has conquered his falling he is a very great amateur golfer."

"To British golfers Francis Outmet is probably the most interesting personality, in that he slew both Vardon and Ray in a single combat. But, while in no way suggesting that there was any element



HAROLD H. HILTON.

of fukiness in his wonderful victory, still we do not anticipate that he will quite reproduce this form over here. If he does, the championship is virtually over, as no amateur I can think of could live against him."

RECORD ENTRY FOR BIG GOLF TOURNEY

More Players than Ever to Fight It Out for Title of Great Britain.

Sandwich, England, May 12.—Entries for the amateur golf championship tournament of Great Britain, the first round of which will be played on Monday, reached the amazing total of 242 to-night. It is possible that additional entries may arrive by post to-morrow, under date line of May 12.

This breaks all records, as the previous high total was 209. Englishmen are turning out in force to repel the invasion of golfers from the United States and France.

Ten American players have entered their names. They are Francis Outmet, of the Woodland Golf Club, Massachusetts; open golf champion of the United States; Jerome D. Travers, of Montclair, N. J., amateur golf champion of the United States; Charles W. Evans, of Chicago, former French champion; Frederick Herreshoff, of New York; Arthur G. Lockwood, of the Belmont Springs Country Club, Massachusetts; Francis Hale, of Chicago; C. W. Inake, of the Onondaga Community Club, New York; Edward S. Knapp, of Westbrook; Henry J. Topping, of the Greenwich Country Club, Connecticut; and Harold Weber, of Toledo.

The draw will be made to-morrow, and, according to official announcement, will be made as follows:

Depending on the number of entries, such number of byes shall be first drawn as shall, after the completion of the first round, leave 4, 8, 16, 32, 64 or 128 players, and one draw shall decide the order of play throughout the competition. Those who draw byes will be placed at the head of the list of winners of the first round and take their place in the second round in the order in which their names then stand.

NEWS OF MOTOR CRAFT

Opening of Canals Furnishes One Way to Get About.

Motor boat skippers in this section who are planning early cruises this season no doubt will be interested in the notice given out by Duncan W. Peck, Superintendent of Public Works. The notice is dated May 1, and reads as follows:

"The Champlain, Cayuga and Seneca canals and that portion of the Erie Canal from the Hudson River westerly to Clyde will be opened to navigation at 12 o'clock noon of May 15, 1914, and the western division of the Erie Canal